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English and German speeches will be made.
BY ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE.

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I further recommend that the whole People of the District meet at the same time and place in MASS CONVENTION, at which their candidates speakers from time to time be expected to address them on the great and important questions of the day.

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By order of the Vigilance Committee, Milwaukee, Aug. 19th, 1856.

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Mr. Colquitt, of Georgia, said:

"If the Wilmot Proviso should be passed, in any form, I will introduce a bill for the dissolution of the Union."

Mr. Meigs, of Virginia, said:

"If you exclude (i.e. slave property) from the territory, I am not willing to submit. We intend to have the land, peacefully, if we can, forcibly, if we must."

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"The people of the South know their rights, and will maintain them at all hazard, even should dissolution result. The South must defend their rights at the expense of blood."

The Congressional Caucus of Southern Democrats, in January, 1849.—

Resolved, That the dissolution of the Union is preferable to the submission of the South to the Wilmot Proviso."

At least five of the present Buchanan Senators from the South, with the present Secretary of State, Jefferson Davis, are open disunionists. With these notorious facts before them, the impudence of the Hunker press, in charging disunion upon the Republican party, is only equalled by their dishonesty. The Republican party is for Freedom and the Union. The Buchanan party is for Slavery or Disunion.

OFF WITH HIS HEAD.—Dr. CASTLEMAN of Sparta, Monroe co., has been removed from the Post Office at that place, because he did not believe in the border ruffian party, and Montgomery, the editor of the *Sparta Herald*, whose motto is "God and our Country," appointed in his place. We now understand what "God and our country" signifies.

MEETING AT STOUGHTON.—The Madison Journal of the 19th inst., says: There was a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Fremonters at Stoughton, last evening. Judge Potter, of Walworth, was present and addressed the meeting.

GREAT FREMONT MEETING IN BARABOO.

3,000 FREMONT IN COUNCIL.

On Saturday last the Republicans of Sauk County held an immense and enthusiastic meeting at Baraboo. Delegations from all parts of the county were present, among them was the "South Carolina Delegation," led in by Davis Atchison, Stringfellow and Col. Buford. They carried a banner and various devices, such as "We'll subdue you!" "The foundation of our institutions," a whiskey barrel, and Governor Shannon with the *desertum tremens*, &c.

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